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# Response to notification of missing parts, assignment, and certified copy of priority application transmittal

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to notification of missing requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371, mailed to applicant on December 21, 2001, enclosed is an inventor's declaration in accordance with 37 CFR §1.63. Also enclosed is payment for \$65.00 to cover the surcharge in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.492(e).

Also enclosed is an assignment of the above-identified application, with assignment recordation form cover sheet, and a recordation fee of \$40.00, under rule 1.21(h).

Additionally, applicant hereby submits a certified copy of Finnish patent application No. 20012095, filed October 30, 2001. Applicant claims the benefit of foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §119.

The commissioner is requested and authorized to charge any additional fees due in the application, to my Deposit Account No. 501392.

Respectfully Submitted

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

#### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
   A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
  - The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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